

**San Antonio, TX** -Congressman Ciro D. Rodriguez (TX-23), a member of the powerful House Appropriations Committee, today announced \$1,126,147 in funding for the University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA) to go toward clinical research related to neurological disorders.

"Neurological disorders affect an estimated 50 million Americans each year," said Rodriguez. "It is funding for important research projects like these that will allow us to learn more about neurological disorders, including better ways to diagnose, treat and prevent them."

The funding comes from the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS), a division of the National Institutes of Health (NIH). The NINDS conducts and supports research on brain and nervous system disorders.